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De Lome's Resignation As Spain's Minister to U. S. Closes Another Diplomatic Incident.

UNFOUNDED RUMOR AFLOAT

Special Report Prepared Concerning Conditions in Alaska—Secretary of War Alger Has Recovered—Senate Passes Indian Appropriation Bill.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The following statement was given out for publication at the state department this morning.

"General Woodford telegraphs that Minister De Lome's resignation had been accepted before he presented the telegram from the department. He adds that the first secretary will be placed in charge of the legation and a new minister will be appointed at once. Full reports to follow."

It is believed here that the incident is practically closed. All sorts of rumors were in circulation last night, including one that a special cabinet meeting was held at midnight. It can be stated positively that no cabinet meeting, formal or informal, was held last night.

Osgue and Kaw Lands for Sale.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The Indian office will soon issue advertisements inviting bids on the pasture lands on the Osgue and Kaw Indian reservations in Oklahoma. There are about 200,000 acres to be leased and the period is to be three years from April 1.

Special Report on Alaska.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Pursuant to instructions from the acting secretary of war, a special supplementary report has been prepared by E. Hazard Wells, who acted as agent for the war department in bringing attention to Captain Ray's dispatches. Mr. Wells has been in Alaska three times, has traversed the interior thereof and has a practical knowledge of the region.

South Carolina Liquor Bill Killed.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The house committee on commerce today killed the senate bill to permit the state of South Carolina to control liquors brought into the state in the original packages. The motion to report the bill favorably was lost on a tie vote.

Nominations Sent to Senate.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The president today sent the following nominations to the senate: John H. Burford, chief justice, and Bayard T. Haynes, associate justice of the Supreme court of the territory of Oklahoma; Edwin Cunningham, of Tennessee, to be consul at Aden, Arabia.

Secretary Alger Has Recovered.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The president and members of the cabinet were surprised at the appearance of Secretary Alger at the regular meeting of the cabinet today. This is the first time in eight weeks that he has been able to attend. He leaves tomorrow morning for Fort Monroe.

Pettigrew's Amendment Adopted.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The Pettigrew amendment to the Indian appropriation bill, providing for the restoration of the free homestead law, has been adopted. The Indian appropriation bill has passed the senate.

MARKET REPORT.

New York, Feb. 11.—Money on call nominally, 1 1/2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3 @ 4. Copper, 10 1/2. Silver, 56 1/2. Lead, \$3.50.

Kansas City.—Cattle, receipts, 4,000; best grades, steady to strong; Texas steers, \$3.50 @ \$4.50; Texas cows, \$3.00 @ \$4.15; native steers, \$2.75 @ \$3.10; native cows and heifers, \$2.00 @ \$3.15; hogs and feeders, \$2.00 @ \$4.30; bulls, \$2.90 @ \$3.75. Sheep receipts, 3,000; market, strong, active; lambs, \$4.50 @ \$5.50; muttons, \$3.85 @ \$5.25.

Chicago.—Cattle, receipts, 3,000; market, for best, steady; heaves, \$3.40 @ \$5.40; cows and heifers, \$2.10 @ \$4.50; Texas steers, \$3.50 @ \$4.50; sheep, market, steady; native sheep, \$3.10 @ \$4.85; westerns, \$2.60 @ \$4.50; lambs, \$4.40 @ \$5.00.

SENSATIONAL ZOLA TRIAL.

The Persecution of Zola in the Assize Court at Paris Continues With No New Features.

Paris, Feb. 11.—There was the usual crowd about the door of the Assize court of the Seine when the fifth day of the trial of M. Zola and Perrier commenced. M. Zola and Colonel Perrier were greeted with hostile cries when they arrived. The court was thronged. The proceedings opened with General Pelloux on the stand.

General Pelloux testified that General Saussier, the former military governor of Paris, desired a public trial for Major Esterhazy, but General Billot, minister of war, ordered that the trial be secret. Therefore it was impossible to contend that Major Esterhazy was acquitted by order of the authorities.

On General Pelloux leaving the stand, M. Zola said: "There are several ways of serving France. You, general, minister of war, ordered that I write beneath to posterity the name of Emile Zola, and posterity will be my judge."

Colonel Picquart was called and narrated how he found the fragments of the telegraphic card in 1896 and concluded therefrom that Esterhazy was corresponding with suspicious parties.

LAS VEGAS NOTES.

The Optic's new management in effect promises to support everybody.

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The new management of the Optic announces that the Examiner and the La Voz del Pueblo are now under its protecting wing and gracefully bows to the public.

Two Railroad Men Killed.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 11.—A special from Menominee, Mich., says: In a collision between two trains on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, last night at Carney, Spier, Conductor Anderson of this city and brakeman Toole, of Green Bay, were instantly killed.

AN INQUISITIVE OFFICIAL.

Insurance Commissioner of Kansas Requires Companies Reporting to Him to State Amounts Paid for Influencing Legislation.

Topeka, Kas., Feb. 11.—Webb McNall, state superintendent of insurance, has requested the companies making reports to him for 1897 to include a statement of the amount of money appropriated by each for influencing legislation in Kansas during the year. The statements are to be made under oath and must show all contributions made to the campaign fund in Kansas. He says that the companies have been interfering in the political affairs of the state.

GOLD AND SILVER COIN.

A Chicago Man Proposes a Method of Compromising the Difference Between the Two Money Metals.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—A suggestion, as to the possibility of obtaining a national basis of compromise between the advocates of the gold standard and their opponents, is being advanced by W. S. Herbert, of this city.

The plan proposed is for a circulating medium, consisting of coin certificates, payable half in gold and half in silver. Certificates for example, to be redeemed by \$1 gold coin and \$1 silver coin.

If the relative value of one-half shall diminish the value of the other, according to Mr. Herbert, would relatively increase, and the value of the certificates payable in both metals jointly would be substantially unaffected, the height of the fulcrum of the scales not being disturbed by raising one arm and lowering the other.

THE LATTIMER TRIAL.

Story of the Killing of Strikers by Sheriff Martin and His Deputies Continued in Court.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 11.—When the court opened this morning for the trial of Sheriff Martin and his deputies, who are charged with the killing of the strikers at Lattimer, the defense introduced a new feature in the cross-examination by endeavoring to show, that the evidence of witnesses was influenced by the hope of securing damages from the government in the event of conviction.

Adam Lapinski was a witness. He was asked what country he came from and replied, "Russia-Poland."

"Do you not expect, in the event of conviction in this case, that your country will file claims for damages against the United States?"

"I don't know," replied the witness. "Did you not read in the newspapers that such would be the case?"

"I can't read," said Lapinski. "Thomas Parr, the next witness told the story of the march to Lattimer. At first, Parr said, he ran; but was struck by a bullet when he was about 50 yards from the deputies."

Mike Serochak told, how some deputies had followed the fleeing strikers at Lattimer and shot at them as they ran.

FAVORS CUBAN INDEPENDENCE.

Governor Tanner, of Illinois, Declares That the Time Has Arrived for Recognizing the Independence of Cuba.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 11.—Governor Tanner, in a proclamation today, requesting contributions to the Cuban relief fund authorized by President McKinley, says:

"While I approve and second the action of the president in this regard, it is deeply impressed upon my mind that measures of temporary relief are not a palliative and are partially injurious. What is demanded at our hands, in my judgment, is a prevention which can be secured only by using all the influence and power of the government to put an end to the civil war in Cuba, for which the time seems now fully ripe, by recognizing the Cuban republic and insisting that the freedom and independence of the Cuban people shall be respected throughout the world."

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At the Palace: W. W. Goldsmith, H. H. Shaw, G. S. Wood, Denver; Sol. Luna, Los Lunas; Pedro Perez, Benavillo; O. M. Fairchild, St. Louis; W. G. Reimer, Philadelphia.

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SEARCH FOR BODIES

Two Hundred Men Exploring Smoldering Debris of Awful Pittsburgh Conflagration.

37 PERSONS PROBABLY DEAD

This Includes 26 Missing People, Whose Bodies Are Supposed to Be Buried in the Ruins—Property Loss is \$1,600,000.

Pittsburg, Feb. 11.—The work of searching for bodies in the ruins of Wednesday night's awful fire was continued through last night by 200 men, but no more bodies were found. The debris is still piled 10 feet high, however, and, as more than a score of people are missing, the work will be continued without cessation until it is positively known that no more dead bodies are buried beneath the same.

That more people are killed Chief Humphreys, of the fire department, says there can be no doubt. He saw the walls go down in the midst of a great mass of humanity huddled together in a small space, and, while he did not care to estimate the number killed, he says it will be largely in excess of any estimate yet made.

The search for bodies is attended with great danger, not only from the weakened walls, but from the 120 tanks of anhydride known still to be in the smoldering ruins.

Anhydride is ammonia and in its most powerful state and its ignition would result in an explosion which could cause an incalculable disaster.

The record of the fire at this time is: Known dead, 11; missing, 26; injured, 18; property loss, \$1,600,000; insurance, about \$1,000,000.

NEW MEXICO SIFTINGS.

San Juan County.

J. A. McCoy, having rented the T. B. Hart ranch above Aztec, will move there about March 1.

Bento Gallegos, of Largo, has purchased the Aztec mill from J. H. Austin and will move the same to Largo at once.

Colonel Williams has taken up 40 acres of land just below Aztec, under the homestead law, and is building a house on the same this week.

W. N. Knight, of Farmington, butchered five pigs last week, the smallest of which weighed 347 pounds.

Some miscreants have been picking the locks on the doors of the school house at Aztec and doing a lot of mischief in the school room.

The San Juan County Index, printed at Aztec, celebrated its 8th birthday by getting out an extra good number under the new management of L. C. Gove.

C. E. Stivers, of the Farmington Times, was a passenger on the outgoing stage, on Tuesday, with the forms for the special edition of the Times, which he took to Durango to have printed. The edition will be issued next week.

The La Plata valley is one of the richest and most productive sections of San Juan county. The sale of 4,000 or 5,000 tons of hay each year, aside from the other productions of the valley, is sufficient to keep the ranchmen there in a prosperous condition.

The Animas River Land & Irrigation company's important enterprises, where, by the reclamation of about 90,000 acres of arid yet fertile mesa land in San Juan county is contemplated, is attracting widespread attention. Inquiries concerning the progress of the project are pouring in from homeseekers in all parts of the country.

Chaves county.

Roswell is also clamoring for a beet sugar factory.

The Roswell Hotel company declared a 4 per cent dividend on the 1st inst.

Dr. J. G. Bynum, of Stewartville, Mo., who was here and purchased property about a year ago, will soon locate in Roswell permanently.

The regents have notified Contractor Russell that the New Mexico Military Institute building must be ready to turn over on the 26th of this month.

It is said to be the intention of the Pecos Valley & Northeastern Construction company to sublet the grading of the extension to small contractors.

A letter received from H. L. Gill stated that he expected to finish his second well on the line of the El Paso & Northeastern by the 1st inst., and would then put down one near Fort Bliss.

R. P. Barnett and Capt. J. W. James have returned from their Mexico trip. They say that the cattle men from the United States are going wild over Mexican cattle and the prices are now too high to handle them with profit.

L. O. Smalley, one of the most energetic farmers in the Hagerman neighborhood, says he cannot understand why there is not a better market for Egyptian and Kaffir corn. He has used it for a long while and considers it a better feed for horses than Indian corn, being next to oats in point of actual value.

The farmers of Chaves county intend to put in a larger acreage of crops this year than ever before. This will be justified, from the fact that there will be a much larger local demand, owing to the influx of people occasioned by the building of the railroad extension, coupled with the further fact that, with the completion of the road, there will be a good market to the northeast for all the surplus that is grown.

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GRANT'S PROSPERITY

A New Mexican Staff Correspondent Writes Glowingly of Conditions at Silver City.

STEADY STREAM OF GOLD

Mining, Smelting and Stock Growing Industries All Flourishing—Substantial Basis for Confidence in the Future of Grant County.

Special Correspondence New Mexican.

Silver City, N. M., Feb. 9.—Nine months ago the writer visited Silver City, not a very long time to be sure, but in that time a number of important changes have been made in the appearance of the town. In several places where only vacant lots and the charred ruins of former structures annoyed the sight, new and handsome buildings now stand. In the business section three fine blocks have been erected, finished and are all occupied. In different parts of the city modern dwellings have been built, and the end is not yet. For the number of inhabitants this "camp," as it was once called, is undoubtedly the busiest in the history of the territory, and if there were more houses there would be more people. The most frequent question heard is, "Do you know of a house to rent?"

It may not be the proper thing, looking at the matter from a selfish standpoint, for the New Mexican to advertise Silver City's prosperity, but facts are facts and sooner or later they come to light, and generally the sooner the better for all concerned. The reasons for the prosperous condition of this city are not difficult to see or understand. They are the mines and cattle industry.

Grant County Mines.

Tributary to Silver City is a large scope of country, rich in mineral wealth, containing numerous camps of more or less importance. Among these camps and districts are Chloride Flat, Pinos Altos, Bullard's Peak or Alhambra, Bald Mountain, Paschal, White Signal, Gold Hill, Malone, Cow Springs, Lone Mountain, Camp Fleming, Central, Hanover, Copper Flat, Santa Rita and Georgetown. From these camps great ore and freighting teams bring ore for treatment and bullion for shipment; to them the same teams carry supplies and merchandise of all kinds, nearly all of which are purchased here. In the mines work is being pushed and rapid development made. At the smelter today I was told that there are ten men employed in the mines where one was at work two years ago, and that the present year would prove one of the greatest in output western Grant county ever knew.

In regard to development of mining properties it is hardly safe to make a statement of what is being accomplished—some ill-disposed individuals would undoubtedly repeat the saying so often heard: "Oh, please, don't follow that; that is a newspaper man." That reflection is hurled at the fraternity too often as it is, without giving any further cause for unkind and unjust remarks by telling the truth in this case. However, in speaking of a streak of ore that has been blocked out in a gold property near the Pinos Altos district, a gentleman said: "I don't dare tell how much there is of it or how valuable it is, but it is enough to make my hair stand on end."

As the speaker had but very little natural covering on his knowledge box, the strike must be a rich one in order to accomplish almost the impossible. All jokes aside, a number of very valuable discoveries have been made during the past six months, and the mining interests are contributing in no small degree to the prosperity of the entire territory.

The smelter has been closed down for a short time in order to allow much needed repairs and improvements to be made. A visit to that institution proved of interest, as the plant was seen in its little moments. Carpenters, bricklayers and laborers were busy putting the work in hand to completion at the earliest possible moment; the ore bins are full to overflowing with gold, silver, copper and other ores, and the manager was wondering where to store the valuable dirt and rock that are coming in until the big furnaces can be blown in again. If nothing prevents, and for Mr. Brethart's peace of mind it is to be hoped nothing will, the fires will be lighted the last of the week and matte will be pouring out below soon after.

The Cattle Industry.

The year that has just passed was a prosperous one for the cattlemen of Grant county, and the present one promises even greater things for them. The winter has been favorable in every respect. Cattle on the range have come through in splendid shape and will go upon the fresh grass strong and healthy. Snow and rain have fallen in quantities sufficient to insure good range the coming season, plenty of water for stock, and the owners are happy.

As a result of the high prices commanded last summer and fall, a new condition has been brought about. All stock in a saleable condition was disposed of under a lurking suspicion that prices would drop as suddenly as they went skyward, and it was a wise thing to do.

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The decline did not come, and cattlemen are arranging to increase their herds by breeding. About the only animals that will be sold in this part of the territory this year will be yearling steers and what few older escaped the round-ups. Should this policy obtain generally, prices will take another hitch upward before the roses bloom again, in the north and east.

An effort was made to learn the number of cattle in Grant county at this time, but it did not meet with flattering success. The manager of one of the large outfits was approached with all the delicacy a young man approaches his best girl when intent upon asking the all important question and telling the ever new, old story, and here is the definite answer received: "Well, that is a pretty hard question to answer. You see, a great many were sold last year, and some have been brought in since and it is difficult to keep track of the changes. I think that aside from Lincoln county, there are more cattle in Grant county than in any two counties in the territory." If those persons who are interested in cattle statistics can ascertain the number of cattle in Lincoln county and of any other two counties in New Mexico, they will then be able to arrive at the answer desired by my question. The tax returns of the county may throw some light on the subject, but the assessment for 1897 was made nearly a year ago, and as my mathematical friend said, "it is difficult to keep track of the changes" that have taken place since then.

Silver City's Prosperity.

In a brief manner the causes for the bustle and business in this pretty city have been outlined, and it all settles down to the simple proposition of gold, silver and cattle, all three being direct products of mother earth. Cattle are converted into gold, and there you are, gold, silver and more gold.

O. L. R.

ALBUQUERQUE NOTES.

Gangs of adroit professional beggars are working the charitable people of the Dual City.

The regular spring movement of real estate has commenced in Albuquerque. The Democrat describes it as "extremely disagreeable weather."

A. C. Emery has commenced suit against Mrs. Ellen L. Lockhart for about \$600 wages, which he claims are due him from her. He has retained Attorneys Wycoff and Mitchell to handle the case for him.

The citizen of yesterday announced that the Las Vegas Optic and Examiner had been merged under the management of Felix Martinez and Dr. Gould. This news was exclusively printed in the New Mexican on Wednesday.

Dr. J. H. Wroth, on Monday, removed a bony tumor from the left clavicle of Miss Elizabeth Powers. It was a very difficult surgical operation and was skillfully performed; so that the young lady is now on the way to recovery. Dr. Wroth was assisted by Drs. J. F. Pearce, A. G. Wall, J. W. Elder and G. W. Harrison.

John P. Irby, a brakeman on the Santa Fe, has retained A. H. Wycoff to bring suit against the A. T. & S. F. railroad for \$25,000 for injuries to his spinal column which he received July 17, 1895, by a train going through a defective bridge in southern Colorado and from a fall which he incurred at Socorro August 26, 1897, on account of a rotten hand hold, which aggravated the former injury of the spinal column, says the Citizen.

The Indians upon whom Deputy Sheriff Newcomer served writs of injunction restraining them from interfering with the Albuquerque Land & Irrigation company's party received their notifications without any hostile demonstrations, simply saying that they would ask the advice of the Indian agent. The surveying party has been out for two days and as no war scare has been reported it is presumed that the work is progressing quietly and in accordance with the law, says the Democrat.

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